

# Safety Data Sheet



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## Pumice

### SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

- 1.1. Product identifier  
Product form: Substance  
Product name: Pumice  
CAS No.: 1332-09-8  
EC No.: -
- 1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against  
Relevant identified uses: Industrial Use  
Filler, carrier mineral, abrasive, polishing agent
- 1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet  
Manufacturer/Supplier: ERNST HINRICHS Dental GmbH  
Street / mailbox: Borsigstr. 1  
Country code. / postal code / city: D - 38644 Goslar  
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Further information obtainable from: ERNST HINRICHS Dental GmbH
- 1.4. Emergency telephone number  
ERNST HINRICHS Dental GmbH: +49 (0) 53 21 / 5 06 24 (Mon-Fri. 8 a.m. – 4 p.m.)

### SECTION 2: Hazards identification

- 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture  
Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]  
Not classified  
Adverse physicochemical, human health and environmental effects:  
To our knowledge, this product does not present any particular risk, provided it is handled in accordance with good occupational hygiene and safety practice.
- 2.2. Label elements  
Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]:  
EUH phrases: EUH210 - Safety data sheet available on request.
- 2.3. Other hazards  
Results of PBT and vPvB assessment  
PBT: Not applicable.  
vPvB: Not applicable.

### SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

- 3.1. Substances  
Substance name: Pumice  
CAS No.: 1332-09-8  
Description: Natural complex silicate, mainly consisting of silicon dioxide (SiO<sub>2</sub>) which contains dissolved oxides of various elements.

Components:

CAS no: 1332-09-8	Pumice	100 %
EC no: -	Not classified	

Full text of H-statements: see section 16

- 3.2. Mixtures  
Not applicable

### SECTION 4: First aid measures

- 4.1. Description of first aid measures

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First-aid measures general:	If you feel unwell, seek medical advice. If possible show him this sheet. Failing this, show him the packaging or label. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. In case of loss of conscience place the victim in the recovery position.
First-aid measures after inhalation:	Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.
First-aid measures after skin contact:	Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse. Wash with plenty of soap and water.
First-aid measures after eye contact:	IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
First-aid measures after ingestion:	Rinse mouth. Drink water as a precaution. Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell.
4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed:	Not expected to present a significant hazard under anticipated conditions of normal use.
4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed:	Treat symptomatically.

### SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

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5.1. Extinguishing media	
Suitable extinguishing media:	Adapt extinguishing agents to the environment. Foam. Dry powder. Carbon dioxide. Water spray. Sand.
Unsuitable extinguishing media:	Do not use a heavy water stream.
5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture:	The product itself does not burn.
5.3. Advice for firefighters	
Firefighting instructions:	Use water spray or fog for cooling exposed containers. Prevent fire-fighting water from entering environment.
Protection during firefighting:	Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory protection.

### SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

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6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures:	Provide adequate ventilation. Avoid breathing dust. Evacuate unnecessary personnel. Use personal protective equipment as required. Avoid dust formation.
6.2. Environmental precautions:	Prevent entry to sewers and public waters.
6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:	On land, sweep or shovel into suitable containers. Take up mechanically and collect in suitable container for disposal.
6.4. Reference to other sections:	Concerning personal protective equipment to use, see section 8. Concerning disposal elimination after cleaning, see section 13.

### SECTION 7: Handling and storage

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7.1. Precautions for safe handling	
Precautions for safe handling:	Ensure good ventilation of the work station. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing dust.
Hygiene measures:	Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety procedures. When using do not eat, drink or smoke. Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking or smoking and when leaving work. Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace.
7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities	
Storage conditions:	Store in original container. Store tightly closed in a dry and cool place. Protect from humidity.

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Prohibitions on mixed storage: Keep away from food, drink and animal feedingstuffs. Store separately from hydrofluoric acid.  
Storage class: 13 - Non-flammable solids  
7.3. Specific end use(s): No additional information available.

### SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

#### 8.1. Control parameters

Components with critical values that require monitoring at the workplace:	
Dust non-specific	
OEL 8-hr (Ireland)	10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (total inhalable) 4 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (respirable)
WEL 8-hr (UK)	10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (inhalable) 4 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (respirable)
DNEL:	
No additional information available	
PNEC:	
No additional information available	

#### 8.2. Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls: Use adequate ventilation to keep vapour concentrations below applicable standard.

Personal protective equipment:

Hand protection: Wear suitable gloves (EN 374). Nitrile rubber. The exact break through time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.

Eye protection: Chemical goggles or safety glasses (EN 166).

Respiratory protection: Where exposure through inhalation may occur from use, respiratory protection equipment is recommended. In case of dust formation use respirator with filter: FFP1.

Skin and body protection: Wear suitable protective clothing.

Environmental exposure controls: Avoid release to the environment.

### SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

#### 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state: Solid, Powder  
Colour: White-grey  
Odour: Odourless  
Melting point/Freezing point: 1200 °C  
Boiling point or initial boiling point and boiling range: No data available  
Flammability: Not flammable.  
Lower and upper explosion limit: Not applicable  
Flash point: Not applicable  
Auto-ignition temperature: Not applicable  
Decomposition temperature: No data available  
pH: 7 - 8  
Kinematic viscosity: Not applicable  
Solubility: Water: insoluble  
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (log value): Not applicable  
Vapour pressure: No data available  
Density and/or relative density: 2360 - 2400 g/cm<sup>3</sup>  
Relative vapour density: Not applicable

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Particle characteristics:	No data available
9.2. Other information	
Explosive properties:	No explosive properties.
Oxidising properties:	No oxidising properties.
Bulk density:	350 – 900 g/l

### SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity:	No dangerous reactions known under normal conditions of use.
10.2. Chemical stability:	Stable under use and storage conditions as recommended in section 7. No decomposition if stored and applied as directed.
10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions:	Decomposition on exposure to hydrofluoric acid.
10.4. Conditions to avoid:	Protect from humidity.
10.5. Incompatible materials:	None known.
10.6. Hazardous decomposition products:	None known.

### SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1. Information on hazard classes as defined in Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008	
Acute toxicity:	Not classified Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met
Skin corrosion/irritation:	Not classified Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met
Serious eye damage/irritation:	Not classified Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met
Respiratory or skin sensitisation	Not classified Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met
Germ cell mutagenicity:	Not classified Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met
Carcinogenicity:	Not classified Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met
Reproductive toxicity:	Not classified Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met
Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure):	Not classified Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met
Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure):	Not classified Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met
Aspiration hazard:	Not classified Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met
11.2. Information on other hazards	
Potential adverse human health effects and symptoms:	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

### SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1. Toxicity	
Acute aquatic toxicity:	Not classified
Chronic aquatic toxicity:	Not classified
Ecology - general advice	Avoid release to the environment. Prevent entry to sewers and public waters.
12.2. Persistence and degradability:	No additional information available
12.3. Bioaccumulative potential:	No additional information available
12.4. Mobility in soil:	No additional information available
12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment:	
PBT:	Not applicable.
vPvB:	Not applicable.

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12.6. Endocrine disrupting properties: No additional information available  
12.7. Other adverse effects: No other effects known

### SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

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13.1. Waste treatment methods  
Regional legislation (waste): Dispose in a safe manner in accordance with local/national regulations.  
Waste disposal recommendations: When totally empty, containers are recyclable like any other packing.

### SECTION 14: Transport information

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14.1. UN number or ID number  
ADR, IMDG, IATA: Not applicable  
14.2. UN proper shipping name  
ADR, IMDG, IATA: Not applicable  
14.3. Transport hazard class(es)  
ADR, IMDG, IATA: Not applicable  
14.4. Packing group  
ADR, IMDG, IATA: Not applicable  
14.5. Environmental hazards:  
Marine pollutant: No  
Other information: No supplementary information available  
14.6. Special precautions for user: Not applicable.  
14.7. Maritime transport in bulk according to  
IMO instruments: Not applicable

### SECTION 15: Regulatory information

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15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture  
EU-Regulations  
This substance is classified as not hazardous according to regulation (EC) 1272/2008.  
Pumice is not on the REACH candidate list.  
Pumice is not on the REACH Annex XIV List.  
National regulations  
No additional information available  
15.2. Chemical safety assessment: A chemical safety assessment has not been carried out.

### SECTION 16: Other information

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These data are based on our present knowledge. However, they shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.  
The data given here only applies when product used for proper application(s). The product is not sold as suitable for other applications - usage in such may cause risks not mentioned in this sheet. Do not use for other application(s) without seeking advice from manufacturer.

Changes compared to the previous version: -

Abbreviations and acronyms:

ADR European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road  
CLP Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 on classification, labelling and packaging of substances and mixtures  
DMEL Derived Minimal Effect Level  
DNEL Derived No-Effect Level

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EC50	The effective concentration of substance that causes 50% of the maximum response (Median Effective Concentration)
IATA	International Air Transport Association
IMDG	“International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code” for the transport of dangerous goods by sea
LC50	Lethal Concentration to 50 % of a test population (Median Lethal Concentration)
LD50	Lethal Dose to 50% of a test population (Median Lethal Dose)
LOAEL	Lowest Observed Adverse Effect Level
NOAEC/L	No Observed Adverse Effect Concentration/Level
NOEC/L	No Observed Effect Concentration/Level
OECD	Organisation for Economic Cooperation and Development
PBT	Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic substance
PNEC	Predicted No-Effect Concentration
REACH	Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals
SDS	Safety Data Sheet
STP	Sewage Treatment Plant
UFI	Unique Formula Identifier
vPvB	Very Persistent and Very Bioaccumulative